

RADFORD PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT 2019-20 MITE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

TEAMS

1. Hokies – Lori Keister – 320-1498
2. Mountaineers – Josh Dunbar – 577-1779
3. Highlanders – Keith Weltens – 239-6325

4. Wildcats – Craig Cooper – 235-4332
5. Bobcats – Dontae Carter – 831-9146
6. Monstars – Eric Thatcher – 831-9600

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>TEAMS</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>TEAMS</u>
Thursday Dec. 5 th	5:30 6:30	2 – 1 3 – 6	Saturday Dec. 7 th	SANTA BREAKFAST	
Thursday Dec. 12 th	5:30 6:30	3 – 4 2 – 5	Saturday Dec. 14 th	9:00 10:00 11:00	6 – 4 2 – 3 1 – 5
Thursday Dec. 19 th	5:30 6:30	4 – 5 6 – 1	Saturday Jan. 4 th	9:00 10:00 11:00	6 – 2 5 – 3 4 – 1
Thursday Jan. 9 th	5:30 6:30	5 – 6 1 – 3	Saturday Jan. 11 th	9:00 10:00 11:00	2 – 1 3 – 6 4 – 5
Thursday Jan. 16 th	5:30 6:30	4 – 2 6 – 1	Saturday Jan. 18 th	9:00 10:00 11:00	6 – 4 2 – 3 1 – 5
Thursday Jan. 23 rd	5:30 6:30	3 – 4 2 – 5			

ALL GAMES WILL BE PLAYED ON COURT 2

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MITE LEAGUE BASKETBALL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The league will be for players who have reached their 5th, but not 7th birthday by January 1, 2020.
2. Coaches may coach their teams by being out on the floor to direct the team offense and defense. Coaches are allowed to dribble the ball up the court if they need to, but players need to attempt to dribble and pass to other players.
3. Games will consist of four quarters of six minutes each.
4. Each team will be granted 2 time-outs per half and 1 for overtime. Time-outs may not be carried over.
5. Five personal fouls will disqualify a player from regulation play.
6. OVERTIME: There will be 1, 3-minute overtime with no change of baskets. Two minutes will be regular mite rules. For the last minute, if the teams are within 4 points, teams may full-court press. If the game is still tied after overtime, a sudden death period will be played and the first team to score by a field goal or on a free throw will be the winner.
7. The alternate jump ball rule will be in effect with a jump ball starting the game, overtime, and sudden death period.
8. After a player has scored their 10th point during regulation play, they must be removed from the game and may not re-enter during regulation play. They may re-enter during overtime and score 4 additional points.
9. The 3-second lane violation rule will not be called.
10. The 5-second rule for out-of-bounds plays will be used.
11. The small basketball and 8-foot goals will be used.
12. Teams on defense must stay behind the white line. The offense must continually cross the white line and cannot delay the game by staying behind the white line.
13. **Players must play at least 2 full minutes in each of the 4 quarters.** Once a player enters the game, he/she must remain in the game until their 2 minutes have expired. Scorekeepers will enforce this rule and keep track with player's time.
14. **SPORTSMANSHIP** in any program must remain a top priority for coaches, players, and spectators. Especially in youth programs, a coach's attitude and conduct will often be passed down to the players. All coaches are expected to maintain a positive approach to officials, opposing coaches, and players. If a coach disagrees with an official's call, they may discuss this with the official during a time-out. Never should any coach harass or argue with the officials. If a coach has a problem with an official, we will be glad to discuss this with the coach. Our officials are not professionals, but are trying to referee to the best of their ability.
15. Players can inbound the ball to the coach and the coach must make sure that the ball gets worked around to all players.
16. Coaches must make sure that all players have the chance to dribble and shoot the ball. This includes bringing the ball up the court and also dribbling the ball in the front court.
17. **NO OTHER BASKETBALLS ARE ALLOWED IN THE GYM DURING ORGANIZED BASKETBALL PRACTICES AND GAMES, EXCEPT THOSE BEING USED FOR GAMES AND/OR PRACTICES.**
18. Neither teams nor spectators are allowed to dribble balls behind the bleachers during practices and/or games.
19. Only WATER will be allowed in the gym during games.
20. Absolutely NO jewelry will be allowed on players during organized league games.
21. **EVERYONE (PLAYERS, SPECTATORS, COACHES, ETC.) MUST CHECK IN AT THE FRONT DESK WHEN COMING TO PRACTICES AND/OR GAMES.** Members of the Radford Recreation Center should use their ID number when checking in.